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James Almand <jalmand@ajgalaw.com> Wednesday, August 17, 2016 1:49 PM

To:

Ponak, Rich

Subject:

FW: Wight Bay Condo

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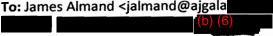
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Rich: Please see attached. Please confirm receipt and nothing else needed. Thank you.

From: Eugene Jubber [mailto:eugene@oc-rem.com]

Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2016 12:09 PM

To: James Almand < jalmand@ajgala



Attached is info as requested

Eugene Jubber, CMCA, AMS, PCAM **Community Association Manager** OC Real Estate Management Inc. 5901 Coastal Hwy Suite C Ocean City MD 28142 Phone# 410-524-5781 Fax# 410-524-5802

From: Lionel Fisher [mailto:lionel@fishersenvironmental.com]

Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2016 11:33 AM

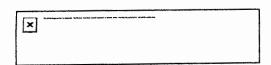
To: eugene@oc-rem.com

Cc: 'Lance' < lance@fishersenvironment | .com >

Subject: Re: Wight Bay Condo (b) (6)

Per your request, please find attached copies of ASB notification to State of Maryland and the waste manifest for disposal of removed materials.

Lionel Fisher



Lionel C. Fisher Office Manager Fishers Environmental, LLC 809 Maryland Avenue Deimar, Maryland 21875 Ph. 443.359.5192 Fax 443.359.5747

----- Original message -----

From: Eugene Jubber < eugene@oc-rem.com>

Date: 8/17/16 9:46 AM (GMT-05:00) To: lance@fishersenvironmental.com

C: 'James Almand' < jalmand@ajgalaw.com>

Subject: FW: wight bay

Lance,

Is there a way you can get me the info needed below, this is for the job at Wight Bay



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Sent: Wednesday, August 17, 2016 9:12 AM To: 'Eugene Jubber' < eugene@oc-rem.com>

Subject: wight bay

Rich Ponak of EPA wants disposal records and scope of work for asbestos. Do you have those? Can you get from Fisher?

James W. Almand

Ayres, Jenkins, Gordy & Almand, P.A.

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City, State, Zipcode: Ocean City, MD 21842 Page 1 of 2 59-PC (Rev.) 8/98, 10/02

City, State, Zipcode:

C. Owner: Eugene Jubber

Address: 5901 Coastal Hwy - Suite C

Telephone:

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Contact: Eugene Jubber

410-524-5781

·III	. RESPONSIBLE PARTIES (continued)	
	Waste Transporter: Fishers Environmental, LLC	•
	Address: 809 Maryland Avenue	Contact: Lance Fisher
***************************************	City, State, Zipcode Delmar, MD 21875	Telephone: 443-359-5192
E.	Landfill: WM - Southern Alleghenies Landfill	
	Address: 843 Miller Picking Road	Contact: Office
	City, State, Zipcode Davidsville, PA 15928	Telephone: 814-244-9881
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From: Sent:

Ponak, Rich

Friday, April 29, 2016 7:35 AM

To:

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Bill,

I spoke to our lead attorney and he stated I could release the file when we close the case. I'm not sue when that will be, still attempting to collect documentation. This report from the consultant does not mean much to me I saw the same thing. I do believe this place was very dirty prior to any work being conducted. I still have not seen any positive dust results.

Thanks, Rich

From: Bill Schmidt -MDE- [mailto:bill.schmidt@maryland.gov]

Sent: Thursday, April 28, 2016 2:49 PM To: Ponak, Rich < Ponak. Rich@epa.gov>

Cc: D'Arcy Talley -MDE- <d'arcy.talley@maryland.gov>; Shea Beitler-Akman -MDE- <shea.beitler-akman@maryland.gov>

Subject: Fwd: #548 FAILED Visual Inspection After Work Was Completed

FYI, Please see the FWD email and attachment received from today. Also, Please contact me regarding your reports to the site. I have messages in your Vmail. Thanks

Bill Schmidt Investigator

MD Office of the Attorney General, Environmental Crimes Unit

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Date: Thu, Apr 28, 2016 at 1:31 PM

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To: Bill Schmidt -MDE-
 schmidt@maryland.gov>, mary.tung@maryland.gov, Lorraine Anderson -MDE-<lorraine.anderson@maryland.gov>

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Following the report already submitted to you from Environmental Testing Inc., Wight Bay Board of Directors and Management Company, OC Real Estate Management, CEO, Eugene Jubber had contractors perform additional work on asbestos containing materials in the unit without any asbestos containment or abatement and left our property in the condition as described and documented by expert, Dr. White (attached).



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2016.04.28 Wight Bay (b) Industrial Hygienist Report pdf

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Regards,



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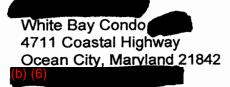
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April 27, 2016



Re:

White Bay Condo Asbestos Sampling Coastal Highway, Ocean City, Maryland

Dear (b) (6)

Attached is the report for the property identified above based on evaluation provided March 18 and 28, 2016 and opinion on current conditions with regard to dusts in the condo unit.

Please feel free to call if you have any questions. Thank you for using our services.

Sincerely,

Susan E. White, PhD, CMC Industrial Hygienist Member, LLC

Survey & Sample Results

Sussex Environmental Consultants (SEC) was retained to conduct an asbestos evaluation at White Bay Condo Coastal Highway, Ocean City, Maryland on March 18, 2016. The sampling was provided due to owners concerns of asbestos containing materials at windows and doors.

Samples were obtained for possible asbestos presence due to potential to disturb. Aerobiology Laboratory Associates of Dulles, Virginia performed Polarized Light Microscopy (PLM) of the samples. Samples are deemed asbestos containing if they contain >1%.

Sample results identified drywall joint compound as asbestos containing. Based on the results of the analysis, the drywall joint compound must be addressed as friable asbestos containing materials. This includes all joint compounds within the condo unit.

The asbestos containing materials indicated must be removed and discarded as friable asbestos containing materials by a licensed State of Maryland asbestos abatement contractor if they are to be disturbed. This includes contained under HEPA filtered negative air and appropriate personal protective equipment must be worn.

On March 28, 2016 an evaluation was provided to assess for presence of dusts in the condo unit that may be due to recent door and window installation and disturbance of possible asbestos containing materials. During the evaluation, Sussex Environmental representative identified what appeared to be drywall dusts and debris on carpeting and other surfaces.

Based on the sampling and evaluation previously provided March 18, 2016, there is a potential that this dusts contains asbestos and must be addressed as such prior to condo occupancy. There is no safe level of asbestos fibers indoors. For this reason, it is recommended the condo unit be decontaminated under HEPA filtered negative air to clean contents and surfaces where dusts and fibers may be present.

The property must then be sampled by wipe sampling with Transmission Electron Microscopy (TEM) analysis. This is to identify if the dusts contain asbestos fibers and if the unit has been properly cleaned. TEM air sampling is also recommended.

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From:

Ponak, Rich

Sent:

Wednesday, April 13, 2016 1:39 PM

To:

Bill Schmidt -MDE-

Subject:

FW: Asbestos Bulk Sample Analysis - Wight Bay Condominium

Attachments:

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----Original Message----

From: Anne Mooney [mailto:amooney@criterionlabs.com]

Sent: Thursday, April 07, 2016 11:12 AM To: Ponak, Rich <Ponak.Rich@epa.gov>

Subject: Asbestos Bulk Sample Analysis - Wight Bay Condominium

Please find attached the above-referenced results. If you have any questions, please contact our laboratory at 215-244-1300.

Thank you.

Anne Mooney Criterion Laboratories, Inc. 215-244-1300, ext. 21

Note: As part of our going green commitment, Criterion Laboratories, Inc. will be reporting all environmental testing results/reports via email. We feel that this will minimize the use of paper and allow you to receive your results in the timeliest manner.

We hope to gain your participation as we feel that these steps towards going green make sense for both business and ecological reasons; however, if you would like to make a special request to receive hard copy results/reports please reply to this email and include the words "Paper Reports" in the subject line. We will always maintain a copy on file if you require additional copies in the future.

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From:

Ponak, Rich

Sent:

Tuesday, April 12, 2016 3:48 PM

To:

Bill Schmidt -MDE-

Subject:

RE: Wight Bay Condos(b) Unit (b)

Mr. Schmidt,

I left you a voice mail this morning indicating your email went to my junk mail folder and I just saw it today. I have a meeting shortly, you can give me a call tomorrow. FYI I don't believe there are any violations at that site, but still gathering information.

Thanks, Rich

Richard Ponak
Enforcement officer
United States Environmental Protection Agency
1650 Arch St (3LC62)
Philadelphia, PA 19103
Telephone: 215-814-2044

Cell:

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Subject: Fwd: Wight Bay Condos-Unit (b) (6)

Mr. Ponak,

I attempted phone and email contact with you on April 4, 2016. I have not received a reply or return communication. It is important that I communicate with you concerning alleged asbestos exposure complaints at the Wight Bay Condo unit coupied by the (b) (6)

I look forward to speaking with you about the matter.
Thank You

Bill Schmidt

Investigator

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<d'arcy.talley@maryland.gov>

Dear Mr. Ponak,

The MD Office of the Attorney General, Environmental Crimes Unit has received phone calls and several email messages from a large of Unit alleging asbestos exposure caused by contractors, hired by the condo association, failing to properly contain and abate asbestos during construction work in the Wight Bay Condo units. I attempted phone contact with you today regarding the case but was unsuccessful in reaching you at your office phone and cell phone.

On Tuesday, March 29, 2016, I meet with Mr. Eugene Jubber, Condo Manager, in Ocean City. Mr. Jubber stated that all regulatory standards for containing and abating asbestos have been met during construction activities at the condos. He stated that the only known asbestos containing material at the condos was identified in drywall joint compound grouting around interior sliding doors; and exterior siding encountered around some of the units (not including the Unit during a contracted window replacement job. Mr. Jubber provided reports from environmental testing companies detailing inspection and testing results. He mention that you had previously made site visits and have had some level of involvement in the case. I am interested in any information you may have regarding you activities or involvement in the case. Would you please contact me regarding this case.

Thanks you.

Bill Schmidt Investigator

MD Office of the Attorney General, Environmental Crimes Unit

410-537-3023 Baltimore Office

410-977-9870 Cell

410-537-3030 Fax

From:

Ponak, Rich

Sent:

Thursday, April 07, 2016 3:15 PM

To:

Subject:

RE: Asbestos Cleanup...

Did you receive results from your wipe samples? The samples I collected on March 30, 2016 were none detect.

From:

Sent: Thursday, April 07, 2016 1:51 PM To: Ponak, Rich < Ponak.Rich@epa.gov>

Subject: Asbestos Cleanup...

Mr. Ponak,

Thank you again for your assistance and education regarding the asbestos exposure in our home in Ocean City, Md.

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From:

Ponak, Rich

Sent:

Thursday, April 07, 2016 11:29 AM

To:

Bishop, Everett

Subject:

FW: Asbestos Bulk Sample Analysis - Wight Bay Condominium

Attachments:

160787-plm.pdf

----Original Message----

From: Anne Mooney [mailto:amooney@criterionlabs.com]

Sent: Thursday, April 07, 2016 11:12 AM To: Ponak, Rich < Ponak. Rich@epa.gov>

Subject: Asbestos Bulk Sample Analysis - Wight Bay Condominium

Please find attached the above-referenced results. If you have any questions, please contact our laboratory at 215-244-1300.

Thank you.

Anne Mooney Criterion Laboratories, Inc. 215-244-1300, ext. 21

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Results of Polarized Light Microscopy

Client: US EPA - Region III

Site Address: Wight Bay Condominium

Sample Date: 4/1/2016

Project #: 160787

Sample Received Date:

Sample Received Date: 4/1/2016 1:49:00 PM

Analysis Date: 4/6/2016

Collected By: US EPA - Region III

Analyzed By: Colsher, Blythe

Sample #		Non - Asbestos		Asbestos	
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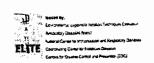
Report Date: 04/07/2016

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Unless otherwise noted: Blank results are not subtracted from any results; QC data associated with this sample set is within acceptable limits: Samples were received in good condition.

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Drop-Off Project Control Record / Chain of Custody Project #: 160787

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Client Information

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Project Manager: Schwab, Andrew

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MC: WC32

Fax: (215) 814-3113

E-Mail:

Ponak.Rich@epamail.epa.gov

City:

Philadelphia

PA 19103

Activity Code: 72

Project Open Date:

Site Address:

Wight Bay Condominium

4/1/2016

Activity: PLM Analysis

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Office Notes:

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